GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS
LOK SABHA

UNSTARRED QUESTION NO:1619
ANSWERED ON:03.12.2014
SANCTION FOR PROSECUTION
Yellaiah Shri Nandi

Will the Minister of PERSONNEL, PUBLIC GRIEVANCES AND PENSIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether 279 applications of the Central Bureau of Investigation (CBI), seeking sanction for prosecution against senior Government officials in different corruption cases are pending with several Central as well as State departments for the past several years and if so, the details thereof, Department and State-wise;

(b) the time since when these requests are pending, request-wise; and

(c) the remedial measures undertaken by the Union Government for speedy prosecution through CBI?

Answer

Minister of State in the Ministry of Personnel, Public Grievances and Pensions and Minister of State in the Prime Minister's Office. (DR. JITENDRA SINGH)

(a) & (b): Sanction for prosecution is pending against 247 Public Servants in 108 cases in various Central Government Ministries/Departments as well as State Governments, as on 31.10.2014. The details of Ministry wise Cases/Requests pending for prosecution for prosecution sanction are given at Annexure 'A'.

(c): Department of Personnel & Training (DoPT) vide its Office Memorandum No. 372/19/2012-AVD.III dated 03.05.2012 has circulated duly approved recommendations of Group of Ministries (GoM), wherein, the competent Authority has been instructed to mandatorily take a decision within a period of three months from receipt of request and pass a speaking order.